This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the captioned application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (currently amended) An absorbent article comprising an absorbent core, and a garment-facing breathable film backsheet, wherein the backsheet has a moisture vapor transmission rate ("MVTR") of from about 5800 to about 10000 g/m²/24 hrs. and basis weight of less than about 32 g/m².
- 2. (original) An absorbent article of claim 1, wherein, the MVTR of from about 5900 to about $6300 \text{ g/m}^2/24 \text{ hrs.}$
- 3. (previously presented) An absorbent article of claim 2, wherein, the MVTR of about 6000 g/m²/24 hrs.
- 4. (original) An absorbent article of claim 1, wherein the basis weight is from about 28 to about 32 g/m^2 .
- 5. (original) An absorbent article of claim 1, wherein the basis weight is about 30 g/m².
- 6. (currently amended) An absorbent article of claim 1, further comprising a <u>body-facing</u> cover wherein said cover joins with said backsheet to encapsulate <u>said absorbent core</u>.
- 7. (currently amended) An absorbent article of claim1, further comprising a <u>body-facing</u> transfer layer.
- 8. (currently amended) An absorbent article of claim 6, further comprising a transfer layer wherein said transfer layer is situated in between said cover and said absorbent core.

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- 9. (original) An absorbent article of claim 1, further comprising a release paper.
- 10. (previously presented) An absorbent article of claim 1, wherein the absorbent article is selected from the group consisting of a disposable diaper, sanitary napkin, an incontinence device, a surgical dressing, and an adhesive bandage.
- 11. (original) An absorbent article of claim 10, wherein the absorbent article further comprises a color selected from the group consisting of white, black, yellow, blue, orange, green, violet, and mixtures thereof.
- 12. (currently amended) An absorbent article comprising an absorbent core, and a garment-facing breathable film backsheet, wherein the backsheet has a moisture vapor transmission rate ("MVTR") of about 6000 and a basis weight of about 30 g/m²
- 13. (currently amended) An absorbent article of claim 12, further comprising a <u>body-facing</u> cover <u>wherein said cover joins with said backsheet to encapsulate said absorbent core</u>.
- 14. (currently amended) An absorbent article of claim12, further comprising a <u>body-facing</u> transfer layer.
- 15. (currently amended) An absorbent article of claim 13, further comprising a transfer layer wherein said transfer layer is situated in between said cover and said absorbent core.
- 16. (original) An absorbent article of claim 12, further comprising a release paper.
- 17. (original) An absorbent article of claim 12, wherein the absorbent article is selected from the group consisting of a disposable diaper, sanitary napkin, an incontinence device, a surgical dressing, and an adhesive bandage.

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18. (original) An absorbent article of claim 17, wherein the absorbent article further comprises a color selected from the group consisting of white, black, yellow, blue, orange, green, violet, and mixtures thereof.

19. (new) An absorbent article comprising an absorbent core and a breathable film backsheet, wherein the backsheet has a MVTR of from about 5800 to about 10000 $g/m^2/24$ hrs. and a basis weight of less than about 32 g/m^2 .